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**Comments: RE: P-7860.00**  
**Serial No. 09/067,208**  
**Applicants: Howard, William G.**  
**Filed: April 28, 1998**  
**Title: CURRENT COLLECTOR FOR LITHIUM ELECTRODE**

Attached please find the following documents:

- X** Transmittal
- X** Amendment
- X** Request for Two-Month Extension of Time

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

In re Application of: H ward, William G.  
 For: CURRENT COLLECTOR FOR LITHIUM ELECTRODE  
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**CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR §1.8** I hereby certify that this Amendment and Transmittal and the paper(s), as described herein are being sent to telefacsimile No. (703) 305-5408 at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2003.

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☒ AMENDMENT
**FEE CALCULATION:**

| FEE<br>CALCULATION           | No. of Claims<br>Filed | No of Claims<br>Previously paid for | No. of<br>Extra<br>Claims | Rate  | Fee           |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------|---------------|
| Total Claims                 | 17                     | 17                                  | 0                         | x 18  | \$0.00        |
| Independent Claims           | 2                      | 2                                   | 0                         | x 84  | \$0.00        |
| Multiple Dependent<br>Claims |                        |                                     |                           | + 270 |               |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                 |                        |                                     |                           |       | <b>\$0.00</b> |

- ☒ Applicant hereby petitions for two-months' extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this petition therefor.
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2546 in the amount of **\$410.00** for the two-month extension of time, fee.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees or credits to Deposit Account No. 13-2546 which may have been overlooked on this Amendment Transmittal with regard to this filing. A duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time.

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